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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/590,526
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For: METHOD OF ASSESSING THE GRADE OF
VASCULAR INJURY
Group Art Unit: 1614
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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**RESTRICTION RESPONSE
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